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- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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In re Application of :
FRANCISCO V. VILLAGRAN, et al. :
Serial No. 09/911,336 :
Confirmation No.: 3231 :

Filed: July 23, 2001

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IMPACT AT A LOWER DOSAGE OF SOLIDS

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

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Dear Sir:

[X] This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed August 3, 2001 A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

[X]	No declaration or oath was filed.	Enclosed is the	original	declaration	or o	ath
for this	s application.					
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[] The declaration or oath that was filed was determined to be defective. A new original oath or declaration is attached.

[]	This replies to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed A copy of
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[]	New	drawings	complying	with	the	size	requirements	(in	compliance	with	37
CFR	§1.84);										

[]	Drawings of sufficient	quality to readily	use the patent	application	publication
as a pri	or art document;				

[]	Specification	of	sufficient	quality	for	optical	character	recognition	(OCR)
conver	sion of image	to to	ext;						

[]	Title and/or Abstract in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §	§1.72;
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- [] Sequence listings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821 et seq.
- [] Other (please specify). __.

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[]	The Commissi	ioner is also here	by petitioned	unde	r 37 C.F.R.	1.13	36(a) to	gra	ant any
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Respectfully submitted,

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Independent Claims [] - 3** = [] x [] = []	123 50 Petitions related to provisional applications
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103 18 Claims in excess of 20	examined (37 CFR §1.129(b)
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